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Programme of meetings and agenda

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Tuesday, 15 April 2003

General Assembly

Fifty-seventh session

10 a.m. . . . . 83rd plenary meeting . . . . . General Assembly Hall

1. Appointments to fill vacancies in subsidiary organs and other appointments . . . [17]
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9. Administration of justice at the United Nations: report of the Fifth Committee (A/57/768) . . . . . [123]

10. Appointments to fill vacancies in subsidiary organs and other appointments: appointment of a member of the United Nations Staff Pension Committee: report of the Fifth Committee (A/57/610/Add.1) . . . . . [17 (j)]

Summary of meetings

Friday, 11 April 2003

General Assembly

Fifty-seventh session

82nd plenary meeting

Scale of assessments for the apportionment of the expenses of the United Nations (Article 19 of the Charter) (A/57/705/Add.9) . . . . . [117]

The General Assembly took note that Venezuela had made the necessary payment to reduce its arrears below the amount specified in Article 19 of the Charter.

Adoption of the agenda of the fifty-seventh regular session of the General Assembly and allocation of items: fifth report of the General Committee (A/57/250/Add.4) . . . . [8]

The General Assembly decided, on the recommendation of the General Committee, to include in the agenda of its fifty-seventh session an additional item entitled "Global road safety crisis" and to consider it directly in plenary meeting.

The role of diamonds in fuelling conflict . . . . . [27]

(a) Letter from South Africa transmitting the report on the Kimberly Process (A/57/489)

(b) Draft resolution (A/57/L.76)

The representative of the Secretariat made a statement in the course of which he orally corrected draft resolution A/57/L.76 in the Arabic, Chinese, English, French and Spanish versions.

The representative of South Africa made a statement in the course of which he introduced draft resolution A/57/L.76.

Statements were made by the representatives of Egypt, Israel, Botswana, Switzerland, Australia, Tunisia, Brazil, Malaysia, Angola, Venezuela, Indonesia, China and Mexico.

In accordance with General Assembly resolution 3208 (XXIX) of 11 October 1974, the observer for the European Community made a statement.

The Assembly was informed that action on draft resolution A/57/L.76 was postponed to Tuesday, 15 April 2003.

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